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Randall S. Springfield, et al.	:	David Yiuk Jung
Serial No.: 09/858,058	:	Group Art Unit: 2134
Filed: May 15, 2001	:	
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM	:	IBM Corporation
FOR SETTING A SECURE COMPUTER	:	Intellectual Property Law
ENVIRONMENT	:	3039 Cornwallis Road
	:	Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

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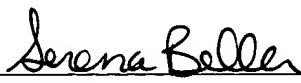
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